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With reference to the airport EIR, I believe the city should support the recommendations of the EIR and build a larger facility than previously proposed. The passengers deserve new facilities and the city can reap the benefits. Why do something initially that will require expansion or improvement later? The politics and cost alone should be an incentive.

I live in Bixby Hill, directly under the flight path, and I support this city going forward with this project and get out of the quagmire it seems to be in. I do not support the small anti airport groups as this has nothing to do with airport slots. I am sure that the airport was here long before the majority of these citizens moved here. Why are so few allowed to stagnate progress???? **At some point in time, if these issues are not resolved, the airlines will leave again, and this is exactly what the opponents want.**

If the city cannot make a timely decision, let the voters decide!

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